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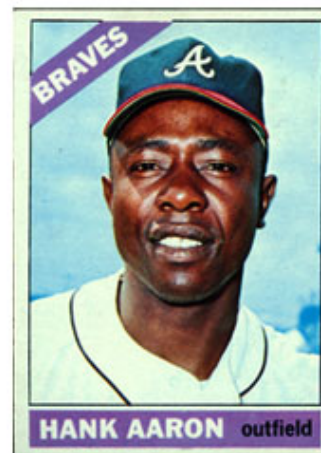
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Welcome To 1966 Topps Baseball Cards

This set has been considered undervalued and underrated for a longtime, but it does have some gems to be discovered. It has a design that tends to get overlooked in favor of the bolder designs of other Topps sets in the 1960, but to devoted collectors, the 1966 set holds a special allure for basic but classic looks. While it lacks some of the high powered rookies like Ryan and Seaver, it doesn't have some rookie standouts like Jim Palmer, Fergie Jenkins, and Don Sutton.

The set had a total of 598 cards and was sold in both wax packs and cello. The only subset of this set is the League Leaders one. The NL batting leaders card with Roberto Clemente, Hank Aaron, and Willie Mays is considered by some to be the best leaders card ever issued. There are team cards for most teams in the league in this set; however there is not one for the Astros because they were engaged in a legal case over the rights to their name.

The card fronts feature a clean design with a diagonal strip in the upper left corner for the team name. At the bottom of the card is a rectangular name panel which also displays the player's field position. The team name strips are all color coded based on their affiliation with either the AL or NL. On the backs of the cards is a bio section, a stats table and a cartoon panel.

There was a partner line of Canadian-issued O-Pee-Chee cards which differ from the regular Topps set only in that they are printed with "printed in Canada" rather than "printed in U.S.A.". There was also a Venezuelan set released which is now very tough to find. That set included 370 cards from series 1 of the regular Topps set. Venezuelan collectors were told to paste the cards into an album, so many of them that survive have torn off paper on the card backs. They were also printed on cheaper card stock and they do not say where they were printed. These cards had a tendency to get worn and yellow much faster and they were very poorly centered and printed in very small amounts.

The high number cards from the '66 Topps set are the rarest. 43 of them are considered short prints. The Willie McCovey #550, Billy Williams #580, and the Gaylord Perry #598 are the most popular of these short printed ones. To compile a true master set of the 196 Topps cards, one must include several variations. Four

cards #63, 91, 103, and 104 all lack sales information the card backs. The examples off these cards without this info carry a high value on today's market.

There are 3 versions of the Don Landrum single card. One shows a button showing on his pants, one shows him without this button, and one shows a partial button. The partial button one is the scarcest.

There are also several uncorrected error cards. The Palmer rookie card incorrectly lists him as a southpaw. Other notable rookie cards from the set include Don Kessinger, Mickey Stanley, Roy White, Bobby Murcer, and Horace Clarke. Koufax and Robin Roberts make their final card appearance sin this set. The set also includes cards for future legends lie Willie Mays, Pete Rose, Mickey Mantle, Roberto Clemente, Roger Maris, and Hank Aaron. One beloved aspect of this set is the nice mix of legendary superstars in their final years combined with hotshot rookies on their way up to greatness.

Entire 1966 Topps Set Checklist

1 Willie Mays	148 Bob Johnson	298 Rico Petrocelli	449 Joe Moeller
2 Ted Abernathy	149 Dick Nen	299 Lou Burdette	450 Tony Oliva
3 Sam Mele	150 Rocky Colavito	300 Bob Clemente	451 Barry Latman
4 Ray Culp	151 Gary Wagner	301 Greg Bollo	452 Joe Azcue
5 Jim Fregosi	152 Frank Malzone	302 Ernie Bowman	453 Ron Kline
6 Chuck Schilling	153 Rico Carty	303 Indians Team	454 Jerry Buchek
7 Tracy Stallard	154 Chuck Hiller	304 John Herrnstein	455 Mickey Lolich
8 Floyd Robinson	155 Marcelino Lopez	305 Camilo Pascual	456 Red Sox Rookies
9 Clete Boyer	156 Double Play Combo	306 Ty Cline	457 Joe Gibbon
10 Tony Cloninger	157 Rene Lachemann	307 Clay Carroll	458 Manny Jimenez
11 Senators Rookies	158 Jim Brewer	308 Tom Haller	459 Bill McCool
12 John Tsitouris	159 Chico Ruiz	309 Diego Segui	460 Curt Blefary
13 Lou Johnson	160 Whitey Ford	310 Frank Robinson	461 Roy Face
14 Norm Siebern	161 Jerry Lumpe	311 Reds Rookies	462 Bob Rodgers
15 Vern Law	162 Lee Maye	312 Bob Saverine	463 Phillies Team
16 Larry Brown	163 Tito Francona	313 Chris Zachary	464 Larry Bearnarth
17 Johnny Stephenson	164 White Sox Rookies	314 Hector Valle	465 Don Buford
18 Roland Sheldon	165 Don Lock	315 Norm Cash	466 Ken Johnson
19 Giants Team	166 Chris Krug	316 Jack Fisher	467 Vic Roznovsky
20 Willie Horton	167 Boog Powell	317 Dalton Jones	468 Johnny Podres
21 Don Nottebart	168 Dan Osinski	318 Harry Walker	469 Yankees Rookies
22 Joe Nosssek	169 Duke Sims	319 Gene Freese	470 Sam McDowell
23 Jack Sanford	170 Cookie Rojas	320 Bob Gibson	471 Bob Skinner
24 Don Kessinger	171 Nick Willhite	321 Rick Reichardt	472 Terry Fox
25 Pete Ward	172 Mets Team	322 Bill Faul	473 Rich Rollins
26 Ray Sadecki	173 Al Spangler	323 Ray Barker	474 Dick Schofield
27 Orioles Rookies	174 Ron Taylor	324 John Boozer	475 Dick Radatz
28 Phil Niekro	175 Bert Campaneris	325 Vic Davalillo	476 bobby Bragan
29 Mike Brumley	176 Jim Davenport	326 Braves Team	477 Steve Barber
30 Pete Rose	177 Hector Lopez	327 Bernie Allen	478 Tony Gonzalez
31 Jack Cullen	178 Bob Tillman	328 Jerry Grote	479 Jim Hannan
32 Adolfo Phillips	179 Cardinals Rookies	329 Pete Charton	480 Dick Stuart
33 Jim Pagliaroni	180 Vada Pinson	330 Ron Fairly	481 Bob Lee
34 Checklist	181 Al Worthington	331 Ron Herbel	482 Cubs Rookies
35 Ron Swoboda	182 Jerry Lynch	332 Billy Bryan	483 Joe Nuxhall

36	Jim Hunter	183a	Checklist 177-264	333	Senators Rookies	484	Wes Covington
37	Billy Herman	184b	Checklist 177-264	334	Marty Keough	485	Bob Bailey
38	Ron Nischwitz	184	Denis Menke	335	Juan Pizarro	486	Tommy John
39	Ken Henderson	185	Bob Buhl	336	Gene Alley	487	Al Ferrara
40	Jim Grant	186	Ruben Amaro	337	Fred Gladding	488	George Banks
41	Don LeJohn	187	Chuck Dressen	338	Dal Maxvill	489	Curt Simmons
42	Aubrey Gatewood	188	Al Luplow	339	Del Crandall	490	Bobby Richardson
43	Don Landrum	189	John Roseboro	340	Dean Chance	491	Dennis Bennett
44	Indians Rookies	190	Jimmie Hall	341	Wes Westrum	492	A's Team
45	Jim Gentile	191	Darrell Sutherland	342	Bob Humphreys	493	Johnny Klippstein
46	Howie Koplitz	192	Vic Power	343	Joe Christopher	494	Gordon Coleman
47	J.C. Martin	193	Dave McNally	344	Steve Blass	495	Dick McAuliffe
48	Paul Blair	194	Senators Team	345	Bob Allison	496	Lindy McDaniel
49	Woody Woodward	195	Joe Morgan	346	Mike DeLaHoz	497	Chris Cannizzaro
50	Mickey Mantle	196	Don Pavletich	347	Phil Regan	498	Pirates Rookies
51	Gordon Richardson	197	Sonny Siebert	348	Orioles Team	499	Wally Bunker
52	Power Plus	198	Mickey Stanley	349	Cap Peterson	500	Hank Aaron
53	Bob Duliba	199	ChiSox Sluggers	350	Mel Stottlemeyre	501	John O'Donoghue
54	Jose Pagan	200	Ed Mathews	351	Fred Valentine	502	Lenny Green
55	Ken Harrelson	201	Jim Dickson	352	Bob Aspromonte	503	Steve Hamilton
56	Sandy Valdespino	202	Clay Dalrymple	353	Al McBean	504	Grady Hatton
57	Jim Lefebvre	203	Jose Santiago	354	Smoky Burgess	505	Jose Cardenal
58	Dave Wickersham	204	Cubs Team	355	Wade Blasingame	506	Bo Belinsky
59	Reds Team	205	Tom Tresh	356	Red Sox Rookies	507	John Edwards
60	Curt Flood	206	Alvin Jackson	357	Gerry Arrigo	508	Steve Hargan
61	Bob Bolin	207	Frank Quilici	358	Charlie Smith	509	Jake Wood
62a	Merritt Ranew	208	Bob Miller	359	Johnny Briggs	510	Hoyt Wilhelm
62b	Merritt Ranew	209	Tigers Rookies	360	Ron Hunt	511	Giants Rookes
63	Jim Stewart	210	Bill Mazeroski	361	Tom Satriano	512	Dick Stigman
64	Bob Bruce	211	Frank Kreutzer	362	Gates Brown	513	Camilo Carreon
65	Leon Wagner	212	Ed Kranepool	363	Checklist 353-429.	514	Hal Woodeshick
66	Al Weis	213	Fred Newman	364	Nate Oliver	515	Frank Howard
67	Mets Rookies	214	Tommy Harper	365	Roger Maris	516	Eddie Bressoud
68	Hal Reniff	215	NL Batting Leaders	366	Wayne Causey	517a	Checklist 507-598
69	Ken Hamlin	216	AL Batting Leaders	367	Mel Nelson	517b	Checklist 507-598
70	Carl Yastrzemski	217	NL Home Run Leaders	368	Charlie Lau	518	Braves Rookies
71	Frank Carpin	218	AL Home Run Leaders	369	Jim King	519	Bob Friend
72	Tony Perez	219	NL RBI Leaders	370	Chico Cardenas	520	Jim Wynn
73	Jerry Zimmerman	220	AL RBI Leaders	371	Lee Strange	521	John Wyatt
74	Don Mossi	221	NL ERA Leaders	372	Harvey Kuenn	522	Phil Linz
75	Tommy Davis	222	AL ERA Leaders	373	Giants Rookies	523	Bob Sadowski
76	Red Schoendienst	223	NL Pitching Leaders	374	Bob Locker	524	Giants Rookies
77	Johnny Orsino	224	AL Pitching Leaders	375	Donn Clendenon	525	Gary Bell
78	Frank Linzy	225	NL Strikeout Leaders	376	Paul Schaal	526	Twins Team
79	Joe Pepitone	226	AL Strikeout Leaders	377	Turk Farrell	527	Julio Navarro
80	Richie Allen	227	Russ Nixon	378	Dick Tracewski	528	Jesse Gonder
81	Ray Oyler	228	Larry Dierker	379	Cardinals Team	529	White Sox Rookies
82	Bob Hendley	229	Hank Bauer	380	Tony Conigliaro	530	Robin Roberts
83	Albie Pearson	230	Johnny Callison	381	Hank Fischer	531	Joe Cunningham
84	Braves Rookies	231	Floyd Weaver	382	Phil Roof	532	Aurelio Monteagudo
85	Eddie Fisher	232	Glenn Becker	383	Jackie Brandt	533	Jerry Adair
86	John Bateman	233	Dom Zanni	384	Al Downing	534	Mets Rookies
87	Dan Napoleon	234	Yankees Rookies	385	Ken Boyer	535	Willie Davis

88 Fred Whitfield	235 Don Cardwell	386 Gil Hodges	536 Dick Egan
89 Ted Davidson	236 Mike Hershberger	387 Howie Reed	537 Herman Franks
90 Luis Aparicio	237 Billy O'Dell	388 Don Mincher	538 Bob Allen
91a Bob Uecker	238 Dodgers Team	389 Jim O'Toole	539 Astros Rookies
91b Bob Uecker	239 Orlando Pena	390 Brooks Robinson	540 Denny McLain
92 Yankees Team	240 Earl Batty	391 Chuck Hinton	541 Gene Oliver
93 Jim Lonborg	241 Dennis Ribant	392 Cubs Rookies	542 George Smith
94 Matty Alou	242 Jesus Alou	393 George Brunet	543 Roger Craig
95 Pete Richert	243 Nelson Briles	394 Ron Brand	544 Cardinals Rookies
96 Felipe Alou	244 Astros Rookies	395 Len Gabrielson	545 Dick Green
97 Jim Merritt	245 John Buzhardt	396 Jerry Stephenson	546 Dwight Siebler
98 Don Demeter	246 Ed Bailey	397 Bill White	547 Horace Clarke
99 Buc Belters	247 Carl Warwick	398 Danny Cater	548 Gary Kroll
100 Sandy Koufax	248 Pete Mikkelsen	399 Ray Washburn	549 Senators Rookies
101a Checklist 89-176	249 Bill Rigney	400 Zoilo Versalles	550 Willie McCovey
101b Checklist 89-176	250 Sam Ellis	401 Ken McMullen	551 Bob Purkey
102 Ed Kirkpatrick	251 Ed Brinkman	402 Jim Hickman	552 Birdie Tebbetts
103a Dick Groat	252 Denver Lemaster	403 Fred Talbot	553 Major League Rookies
103b Dick Groat	253 Don Wert	404 Pirates Team	554 Jim Northrup
104a Alex Johnson	254 Phillies Rookies	405 Elston Howard	555 Ron Perranoski
104b Alex Johnson	255 Willie Stargell	406 Joe Jay	556 Mel Queen
105 Milt Pappas	256 Lew Krausse	407 John Kennedy	557 Felix Mantilla
106 Rusty Staub	257 Jeff Torborg	408 Lee Thomas	558 Red Sox Rookies
107 Athletics Rookies	258 Dave Giusti	409 Billy Hoeft	559 Roberto Pena
108 Bobby Klaus	259 Red Sox Team	410 Al Kaline	560 Joel Horlen
109 Ralph Terry	260 Bob Shaw	411 Gene Mauch	561 Choo Choo Coleman
110 Ernie Banks	261 Ron Hansen	412 Sam Bowens	562 Russ Snyder
111 Gary Peters	262 Jack Hamilton	413 John Romano	563 Twins Rookies
112 Manny Mota	263 Tom Egan	414 Dan Coombs	564 Bob Chance
113 Hank Aguirre	264 Twins Rookies	415 Max Alvis	565 Jimmy Piersall
114 Jim Gosger	265 Stu Miller	416 Phil Ortega	566 Mike Cuellar
115 Bill Henry	266 Pedro Gonzalez	417 Angels Rookies	567 Dick Howser
116 Walt Alston	267 Joe Sparma	418 Phil Gagliano	568 Athletics Rookies
117 Jake Gibbs	268 John Blanchard	419 Mike Ryan	569 Orlando McFarlane
118 Mike McCormick	269 Don Heffner	420 Juan Marichal	570 Art Mahaffey
119 Art Shamsky	270 Claude Osteen	421 Roy McMillan	571 Dave Roberts
120 Harmon Killebrew	271 Hal Lanier	422 Ed Charles	572 Bob Priddy
121 Ray Herbert	272 Jack Baldschun	423 Ernie Broglio	573 Derrell Griffith
122 Joe Gaines	273 Astro Aces	424 Reds Rookies	574 Mets Rookies
123 Pirates Rookies	274 Buster Narum	425 Bob Veale	575 Earl Wilson
124 Tug McGraw	275 Tim McCarver	426 White Sox Team	576 Dave Nicholson
125 Lou Brock	276 Jim Bouton	427 John Miller	577 Jack Lamabe
126 Jim Palmer	277 George Thomas	428 Sandy Alomar	578 Chi Chi Olivo
127 Ken Berry	278 Calvin Koonce	429 Bill Monbouquette	579 Orioles Rookies
128 Jim Landis	279a Checklist 265-352	430 Don Drysdale	580 Billy Williams
129 Jack Kralick	279b Checklist 265-352	431 Walt Bond	581 Tony Martinez
130 Joe Torre	280 Bob Knoop	432 Bob Heffner	582 Garry Roggenburk
131 Angels Team	281 Bruce Howard	433 Alvin Dark	583 Tigers Team
132 Orlando Cepeda	282 Johnny Lewis	434 Willie Kirkland	584 Yankees Rookies
133 Don McMahon	283 Jim Perry	435 Jim Bunning	585 Tony Taylor
134 Wes Parker	284 Bobby Wine	436 Julian Javier	586 Claude Raymond
135 Dave Morehead	285 Luis Tiant	437 Al Stanek	587 Dick Bertell
136 Woody Held	286 Gary Geiger	438 Willie Smith	588 Athletics Rookies

137 Pat Corrales	287 Jack Aker	439 Pedro Ramos	589 Lou Klimchuck
138 Roger Repoz	288 Dodgers Rookies	440 Deron Johnson	590 Bill Skowron
139 Cubs Rookies	289 Larry Sherry	441 Tommie Sisk	591 National League Rookies
140 Jim Maloney	290 Ron Santo	442 Orioles Rookies	592 Andre Rodgers
141 Tom McCraw	291 Moe Drabowsky	443 Bill Wakefield	593 Doug Camilli
142 Don Dennis	292 Jim Coker	444a Checklist 430-506	594 Chico Salmon
143 Jose Tartabull	293 Mike Shannon	444b Checklist 430-506	595 Larry Jackson
144 Don Schwall	294 Steve Ridzik	445 Jim Kaat	596 Astros Rookies
145 Bill Freehan	295 Jim Hart	446 Mack Jones	597 John Sullivan
146 George Altman	296 Johnny Keane	447 Dick Ellsworth	598 Gaylord Perry
147 Lum Harris	297 Jim Owens	448 Eddie Stanky	